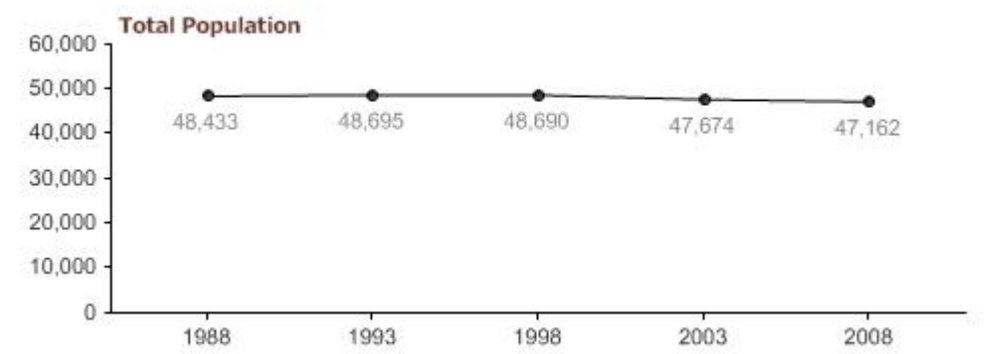


Henry County, IN Highlights

Population

A region's economy thrives or dives because of the people who choose to live there. That choice may occur by being born there and desiring to stay, or a more deliberate one of choosing to relocate from somewhere else. Monitoring change in the size and movement of population is an important barometer of well-being. Some of us monitor these changes as an insect might gauge the shifting sands while most don't pay much attention. But the barometer is a good metaphor for population change since it can presage more notable events, such as lackluster business attraction due to lack of workers.

Population Over Time					
	1988	1993	1998	2003	2008
Total Population	48,433	48,695	48,690	47,674	47,162
Change Since 1988		262	257	-759	-1,271
Pct. Change Since 1988		0.5%	0.5%	-1.6%	-2.6%



Source: US Census Bureau

Components of Population Change 2007 to 2008

	Number
Net Domestic Migration	174
International Migration	1
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	-4
Births	544
Deaths	548

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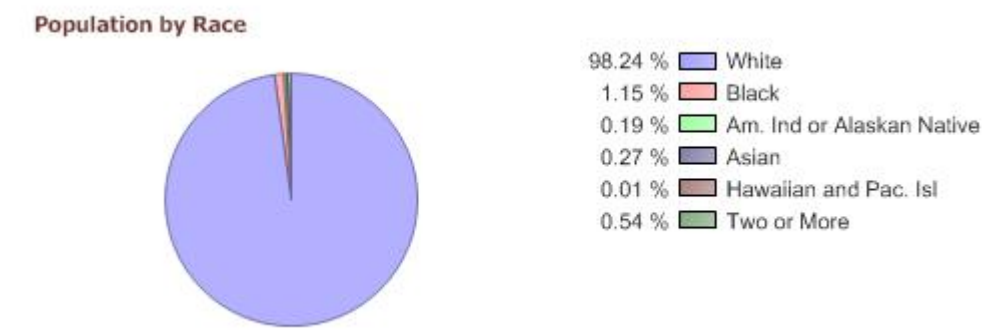
Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates by Age in 2007		
	Number	Pct. Dist
Preschool	2,694	5.7%
School Age	7,803	16.6%
College Age	3,457	7.4%

Young Adult	12,546	26.7%
Older Adult	13,039	27.7%
Older (65 plus)	7,642	16.3%

Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates by Race and Hispanic Origin in 2007		
	Number	Pct. Dist
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	87	0.2%
Asian Alone	127	0.3%
Black Alone	542	1.2%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	5	0.0%
White Alone	46,166	98.2%
Two or More Race Groups	254	0.5%



Hispanic or Latino		
Non-Hispanic or Latino	46,725	99.4%
Hispanic or Latino	456	1.0%

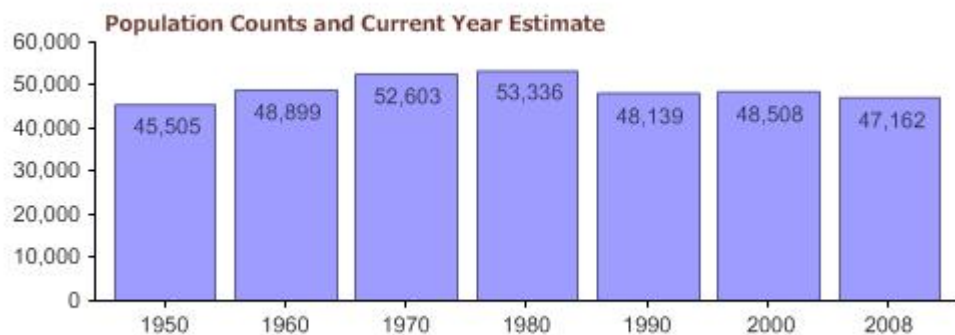
Source: US Census Bureau

Households in 2000		
	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Households	19,486	100.0%
Family Households	13,975	71.7%
Married with Children	4,474	23.0%
Married without Children	6,905	35.4%
Single Parents	1,508	7.7%
Other	1,088	5.6%
Non-family Households	5,511	28.3%
Living Alone	4,841	24.8%
Average Household Size	2.49	
Average Family Household Size	3.47	

Source: US Census Bureau

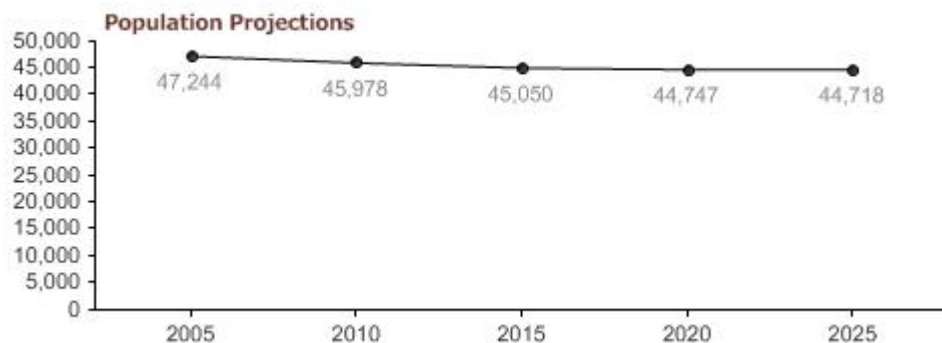
Population Counts by Decade and Current Year Estimate			
	Population	Numerical Chg.	Pct. Chg.
1950	45,505	NA	NA
1960	48,899	3,394	7.5%
1970	52,603	3,704	7.6%
1980	53,336	733	1.4%
1990	48,139	-5,197	-9.7%

April 2000	48,508	369	0.8%
2008	47,162	-1,346	-2.8%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Population Projections					
	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
Population Projections	47,244	45,978	45,050	44,747	44,718
Change Since 2005		-1,266	-2,194	-2,497	-2,526
Pct. Change Since 2005		-2.7%	-4.6%	-5.3%	-5.3%



Source: Indiana Business Research Center